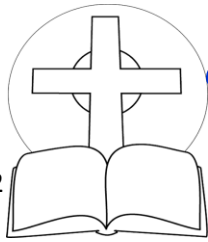


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Communion

(Portions of the service that are in **BOLD** are to be said by all.
All points marked * those who are able are invited to stand.)

Approach

Prelude

Call to Worship

One: We come to hear the good news of Jesus Christ.

All: We come to find new life.

One: We come to satisfy our thirst for God's holy word.

All: We come to feed our hunger for God's love.

* Hymn – “*What is The Place*” (see insert)

Prayer of Approach

**Guiding Spirit, you come to us in visions and dreams,
calling us beyond the narrow confines of our waking
perceptions.**

**Open our hearts this day, that we might understand
Christ's teaching, and share his presence with those we
meet.**

**Guide our footsteps on our journey, that we may go
where you send us to share your message of love and
peace with a world scarred by hate and violence. AMEN**

The Word

📖 Scripture Readings – Acts 16: 9-15

Revelation 21: 10, 22-22 :5

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

THANKS BE TO GOD!

* Hymn VU #709 – “*O Holy City, Seen of John*”

Meditation – “*Visions of a different/better world*”

(a quiet time for your personal reflection and prayer)

Anthem – “I Rejoice”

The Response

Announcements

- * Offering / Response (VU #540)
**Grant us, God, the grace of giving,
With a spirit large and free.
That ourselves and all our living
We may offer faithfully.**

Celebration of Communion

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give god thanks and praise.

Post Communion Prayer

**God of hope, we have tasted the elements of your
unshakeable love for us. Strengthened and encouraged,
we will go out to transform our world towards your
vision. Fill us with optimism to see our dreams through.
We pray in Christ's name. AMEN**

* Hymn VU #875 – “*Praise to God, Your Praises Show*”

* Benediction / Response (VU #965)

The Lord bless thee, and keep thee;

**The Lord make his face shine upon thee,
and be gracious unto thee:**

**The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee,
and give thee peace. AMEN**

Rev. Dr. Sharon Wilson, Minister	Patrick Woodbeck, Associate Minister
Luci Toews, Church Administrator	Laura Steidl, Music Director
Kelsey Shiaro, “Joyful Noise” Director	Myrna Hagues, Organist
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Douglas Gauthier and Gloria Waldron, Nursery Care Givers	

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